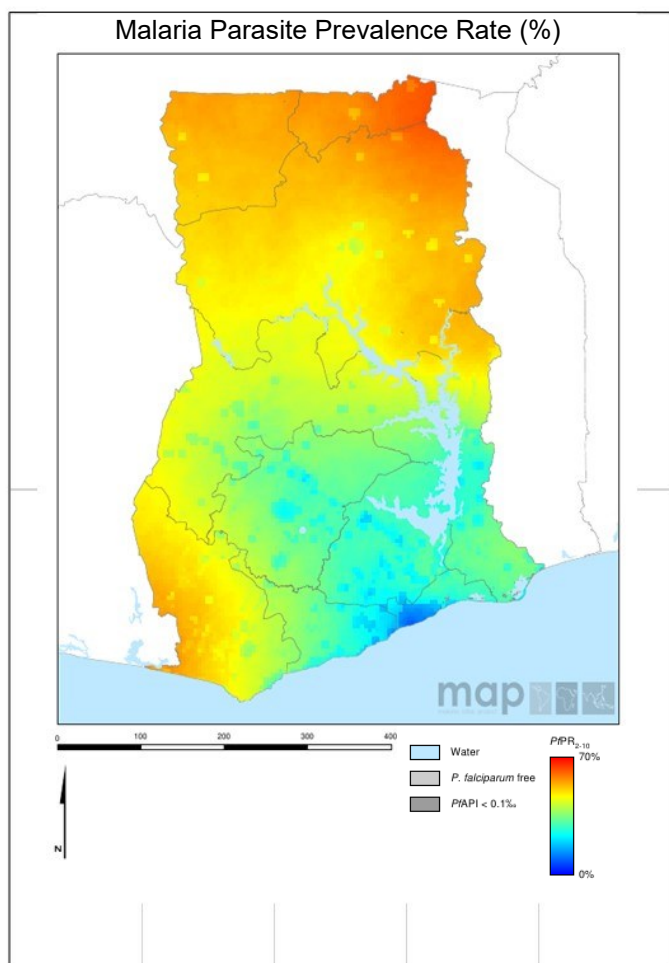


Scorecard for Accountability and Action



Metrics

Commodities Financed and Financial Control		
LLIN financing 2017 projection (% of need)	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div>	100
Public sector RDT financing 2017 projection (% of need)	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div>	100
Public sector ACT financing 2017 projection (% of need)	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div>	100
World Bank rating on public sector management and institutions 2016 (CPIA Cluster D)	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div>	3.6
Insecticide Resistance Monitoring, Implementation and Impact		
Insecticide classes with mosquito resistance in representative sentinel sites confirmed since 2010	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: red;"></div>	4
Insecticide resistance monitored since 2015 and data reported to WHO	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div>	
National Insecticide Resistance Monitoring and Management Plan	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: yellow;"></div>	
Scale of Implementation of iCCM (2016)	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div>	
Operational LLIN/IRS coverage (% of at risk population)	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div>	▲ 100
Change in malaria incidence rate (2010–2016)	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: red;"></div>	
Tracer Indicators for Maternal and Child Health and NTDs		
Mass Treatment Coverage for Neglected Tropical Disease (NTD index, %)(2016)	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: yellow;"></div>	70
Estimated % of Total Population living with HIV who have access to antiretroviral therapy (2016)	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: red;"></div>	34
Estimated % of children (0–14 years old) living with HIV who have access to antiretroviral therapy (2016)	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: red;"></div>	15
% deliveries assisted by skilled birth attendant	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: yellow;"></div>	74
Postnatal care (within 48 hrs)	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div>	81
Exclusive breastfeeding (% children < 6 months)	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div>	52
Vitamin A Coverage 2015 (2 doses)	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: red;"></div>	28
DPT3 coverage 2016 (vaccination among 0-11 month olds)	<div style="width: 100%; height: 10px; background-color: green;"></div>	93

The entire population of Ghana is at risk of malaria. The annual reported number of malaria cases in 2016 was 10,448,267 with 1,264 deaths.

Key

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<div style="width: 20px; height: 10px; background-color: yellow;"></div>	Progress but more effort required
<div style="width: 20px; height: 10px; background-color: red;"></div>	Not on track
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Malaria

Progress

Ghana has secured sufficient resources for the essential anti-malarial commodities required to sustain coverage in 2017. The country has procured sufficient LLINs and carried out sufficient IRS to achieve 100% operational coverage of vector control. The country has carried out insecticide resistance monitoring since 2015 and has reported the results to WHO. Ghana has scaled up coverage of iCCM. Ghana has further increased its already high rating in terms of public sector management systems (CPIA cluster D). The country has significantly enhanced the tracking and accountability mechanisms for malaria with the development of a Malaria Control and Elimination Scorecard.

Impact

The annual reported number of malaria cases in 2016 was 10,448,267 with 1,264 deaths. WHO estimates that the country has recorded a more than 20% increase in the malaria incidence rate in the period 2010 - 2016.

Key Challenge

- Insecticide resistance threatens vector control effectiveness.
- The country has a less than 40% malaria case reporting rate by surveillance systems.

Previous Key Recommended Actions

Objective	Action Item	Suggested completion timeframe	Progress	Comments - key activities/accomplishments since last quarterly report
Address funding	Work to accelerate the signature of the GF grant	Q4 2017		The country completed the grant making requirements for grant approval

The country has responded positively to the recommended actions on the development of the insecticide resistance monitoring and management plan.

New Key Recommended Action

Objective	Action Item	Suggested completion timeframe
Impact	Investigate and address the reasons for the WHO estimated increase of greater than 20% in the malaria incidence rate between 2010 and 2016	Q4 2018

MNCH and NTDs

Progress

The country has achieved high coverage of tracer MNCH interventions, in particular exclusive breastfeeding and postnatal care. The country has significantly enhanced the tracking and accountability mechanisms with the development of a Reproductive, Maternal, Newborn and Child Health Scorecard.





Progress in addressing Neglected Tropical Diseases (NTDs) in Ghana is measured using a composite index calculated from preventive chemotherapy coverage achieved for lymphatic filariasis, onchocerciasis, schistosomiasis, soil transmitted helminths and trachoma. Preventive chemotherapy coverage in Ghana is high for lymphatic filariasis

(74%), onchocerciasis (84%), and trachoma (100%). Coverage is 67% for schistosomiasis and 41% for soil transmitted helminths. Overall, the NTD preventive chemotherapy coverage index for Ghana in 2016 is 70, which represents a slight increase compared with the 2015 index value (63).

Previous Key Recommended Actions

Ghana has responded positively to the MNCH recommended action addressing the low coverage of ARTs in the general population and in children, decreasing coverage of vitamin A and DPT3 and continues to track progress as these actions are implemented.

Key

	Action achieved
	Some progress
	No progress
	Deliverable not yet due